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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Uzoh et al.
App. No : 10/698,878
Filed : October 31, 2003
For : METHODS AND DEPOSITING HIGH
YIELD AND LOW DEFECT DENSITY
CONDUCTIVE FILMS IN DAMASCENE
STRUCTURES
Examiner : Luan V. Van
Art Unit : 1753

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| Total Claims | 16 - 20 = 0 | 1202 (\$50) | 0 x 50 = | \$0 |
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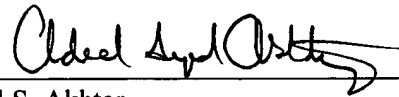
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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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